

DETAILED ACTION

This office action is responsive to amendment filed on 2/15/2008.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Joseph F. Oriti on 6/18/2008.

The application has been amended as follows:

- For claim 2, delete the phrase "comprising an authenticator on the computing device ascertaining that the requesting RR has rights to the resource and is to be trusted with the resource" in lines 1-3, and replace the term "referring" with "refers" in line 3.
- For claim 10, delete the phrase "comprising receiving the forwarded request from an authenticator on the computing device ascertaining that the requesting RR has rights to the resource and is to be trusted with the resource" in lines 1-3, and replace the term "referring" with "refers" in line 4.
- For claim 20, delete the phrase "the method comprises an authenticator on the computing device ascertaining that the requesting RR has rights to the resource and is to be trusted with the resource wherein" in lines 1-3, and replace the term "referring" with "refers" in line 3.

- For claim 28, delete the phrase "the method comprises receiving the forwarded request from an authenticator on the computing device ascertaining that the requesting RR has rights to the resource and is to be trusted with the resource wherein" in lines 1-4, and replace the term "referring" with "refers" in line 4.

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 1-36 are allowable based on applicant's Amendments/Remarks filed on 2/15/2008 and examiner's Amendment filed on 6/18/2008.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Michael C. Lai whose telephone number is (571) 270-3236. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 8:30 - 5:00 EST.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Ario Etienne can be reached on (571) 272-4001. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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